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APPLICANT: Barclay et al.
SERIAL NO. 10/039,340 GROUP: 1752
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FOR: POLYMERS CONTAINING OXYGEN AND SULFUR ALICYCLIC
UNITS AND PHOTORESIST COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING SAME

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Applicants file herewith a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

An amendment of the specification appears on page 2 of this paper.

A listing of pending claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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Please amend the priority claim at page 1, line 1 of the application to read as follows:

The present application is a continuation of International Application no.
PCT/US01/14901/14914 filed May 8, 2001, which is a ~~continuation-in-part~~ continuation of U.S.
application no. 09/567,634, filed May 9, 2000.